



Corres. and Mail  
**BOX AF**

AF/2667  
JW

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2667**

Attorney Docket No.: 8194-479

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Wail Refai et al.

Serial No.: 09/754,490

Filed: January 4, 2001

Title: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR SOFT HANDOFF AND OTHER DIVERSITY  
COMMUNICATION USING BASE STATIONS SUPPORTING COMMON RADIO  
CONFIGURATIONS**

Group Art Unit: 2667

Examiner: Blanche Wong

Confirmation No.: 2897

Date: November 7, 2005

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the final Office Action mailed September 5, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicants requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 09-0461.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.